

Mrs. Richardson, of 1437 Indiana avenue, ill entertain the Woman's Reading Club ext Tuesday afternoon.

Donna Benniwell will entertain the N. Club at her home, 2214 East th street, on Thursday afternoon, Miss freme Beiden, a pupil of Mrs. Ella Backus-Behr, will give a recital in the Central Presbyterian church on Tuesday itternoon, April 27.

Mrs. C. H. V. Lewis and Mrs. William P. Voorbees will give a reception on Tuesday, April 26, at the residence of Mrs. Lewis, South Troost avenue.

The Magazine Coterie has Issued invitations to its closing lecture and reception at the residence of Mrs. S. D. Irwin, 500 West Sixteenth street, on Monday, April 26.

Judge Moss, with a party of friends, will occupy box B, at the Costes house Friday

The last concert of the Euterpe Club will be given next Thursday afternoon at Lyceum hall, and the programme will present some unusually attractive features. Mr. Bauer, a well known planist of the Leipsic school, will occupy the most prominent position as the guest of the club, and, among other interesting numbers, will give one of Beethoven's last great sonatas.

Among the early June weddings will be that of Miss Pearl Ranson, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Ranson, and Mr. Boyd Harwood, which will take place at the Calvary church. It is to be a plack and white wedding, the bride wearing a magniticent tollette of white satin, and the maid of honor, Miss Elizabeth Ranson, a plack frock. Mr. Landry Harwood will attend the groom. A reception to intimate friends will follow the reremony.

Mrs. Walter A. Bunker will give a recep-lion on Wednesday, and will have receiv-ing with her her daughter. Mrs. Irving L. Bunker. Mrs. Burker will be assisted in intertaining by Mrs. D. C. Dart, Mrs. S. D. rwin, Mrs. T. J. Templer. Mrs. John A. Ebert, Mrs. J. Martin Jones, Mrs. Prank Weed, Mrs. M. H. Stevens, Mrs. T. J. Beat-ie, Mrs. Guv Holmes, Mrs. H. M. Bush, diss Helen Medsker, Miss Nelle Ebert, Mrs. Harthette Barse and Miss Blanche Purdy.

Mrs. William A. Wilson's reception on Tacsday afternoon is in compliment to her tuests. Mrs. Charles Elliott Wortham, Jr., and Miss Barrett. Mrs. Wilson will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. William Is. Thaver. Mrs. W. Ewing Hall. Mrs. William Ston: Woods, Mrs. Joseph Bird, Mrs. John Tate and Mrs. Virginia Lee. Miss Laura Lee and Miss Elizabeth Gentry will serve at the punch table. The hours will be from 4 to 7, the gentlemen being asked for the last hour.

Next Friday evening the Ladies' Aid Society of the independence Avenue M. E. church will give a concert, which will enfect the services of the following well known artises: Mrs. Ella Backus Behr, Miss Gertrude Concannon, Mrs. Ben T. Hollenback, Mrs. Frank Whitelaw, Miss Jennie Kirtley, Mr. Herbert J. Sisson, Mr. Carl Hoffman, Dr. E. Morrison Hiner, Professor Dohn Behr, Professor E. J. Ebbels, Mr. Frank Whitelaw, Mr. Ed K. Chaffee, Mr. Ben T. Hollenback.

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The marriage of Miss Ruth Netherton Dunnica, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dunnica, and Mr. Harry Linsey White will be celebrated in St. Mark's Protestant Episconal church on Wednesday evening, April 25, at 7.29 o'clock, the Rev. A. G. Singsen officiating. Miss Grace Lansing Funnica is to be maid of honor, and Miss Carrie Harrison and Miss Leona Dunnica, bridesmaids. Mr. T. C. White will act as best man, and the ushers will be Mr. Sam F. Pershall and Mr. Charles Z. Poole. Miss McMillen will tolay the wedding march. At home Wednesdays after May 12 at 3/23 East Bixth street. No cards.

The Catholic Ladies' Ald Society will hold The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will hold a reception in the Marquette Club rooms during the afternoon and evening of April 26. Between the hours of 2 and 6 the musical programms will be under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Thompson, and some the selections will be interpreted by Miss Edith Leffel, Miss Alice Barnby, Miss Sherwood and Mr. Sully Osher. In the evening an orchestra will discourse sweet music for dancing. Mrs. George Kallmann and Mrs. Cartan will have charge of the refreshment tables, assisted by a bevy of youngladies. This society has worked faithfully in the interests of the poor during the winter, and it is hoped that its friends wil respond heartily to the invitations sent out and make the reception of the week will be

Theodore Gowdy, Mrs. A. H. Connelly, Mrs. J. P. Townley, Mrs. John Hanley, Mrs. Henry Evans, Mrs. Tevis Harwood, Mrs. R. A. Hubbard, Miss Edna Jackson, Miss Martha Brent, Miss Daisy Dowden, Miss Josephine Adams, of Quincy, Ill.: Miss Engelman, of Danyille, Ky.; Miss Ellen Talbot, Miss Anna Carkener and Miss Schermerhorn. An especially delightful feature of the afternoon will be the music, which will include several selections on the harpby Miss Maude Hughes, of Chicago, who as a soloist of the Symphony concerts has won such well deserved encomiums.

The following programme will be given at the Springfield Avenue Christian church Thursday evening, April 22, for the benefit of the church. The musical portion of the programme will be under the direction of Mrs. Mamle Gill Eaton. The table will be under the personal direction of Mrs. Elese Elliott.

PART I.
Piano solo—Selected, Miss Schmitz.
Song—"Invocation" (D'Hardelot), Mr. R.
Forest Russell.
Song—"Entreaty" (Meyer-Helmund), Mrs.

the pair tette.

Song—(a) "At Parting" (Rogers); (b) "My Laddie" (Neidlinger); (c) "Dear When I Gave" (Rogers), Miss Jennie C. Jones. Cernet—Serenade (Tinler), Dr. E. Morrison Hiner.

Re miniscences—"Lady Slavey." Frank E. Lett. Miss Marie Stannard, Miss Ohaus.

"Pizzicatti" (Brainard), string quartette. Baritone—"Wanderer" (Festa), W. J. Murray. Murray, Piano-"Rigoletto" (Verdi-Liszt), Miss

Midred Beymer.

The following are the members of the string quartette: Mrs. John Mauer, first viella; John Zimmerschied, second violin; John W. Rose, viola; John Behr, 'cello; Mrs. Ella Backus-Behr, accompanist and musical director; Miss Virginia Moniger, accompanist.
"A Fatal Message," by John Kendrick

"A Fatal Message," by John Kendrick Rangs, with the following cast: Mrs. Bradley Miss Herenice Scarritt Mrs. Perkins Miss Rella Abell Miss Andrews Miss Anna Carkener Jane Miss Anna lägger Mr. Yardsley Mr. H. S. Hadley Mr. Bradley Mr. Brank Lucas Mr. Perkins Frank Lott Jack Barlow W. E. Miller As a large audience is expected it is hoped everyone will be present before the musical programme commences.

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and make the reception a great success.

A large reception of the week will be given by Mrs. Charles H. R. McElroy and Mrs. William W. Collins on Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. McElroy, Fifth street and Highland avenue. The assisting ladies on this occasion will be: Mrs. S. M. Neel, Mrs. Joseph L. Loose, Mrs. Hugh I. McElroy, Mrs. Leon Smith, Mrs. Allen Logan, Mrs. Conway Hollmes, Mrs. Joseph Hanley, Mrs. Conway Hollmes, Mrs. Joseph Hanley, Mrs. Debert Gragory Mrs. Leon Smith, Mrs. Joseph Hanley, Mrs. Seitz, Mrs. Irving G. Mitchell, Mr. W. Ews.

ing Hall, Mr. Michener, Lieutenant Howard, Mr. William B. Thayer, Mr. William M. Abernathy, Mr. Clark Perrin, Mr. Sam Ragland, Musicians—Miss Maude Hughes, harpist; Mrs. William M. Abernathy, harpist; Mrs. William M. Abernathy, harpist; Mr. Henry Appy, 'cellist.

II.—Miniatures—Countess Potocki, Miss Edith Howes; Duchess de Montpensier, Miss Bertha, Holden; Madame Recamier, Mrs. Jacques Noithenius; Princess de Lamballe, Miss Frances Matteson; Duchess of Devonshire, Miss Alice Van Brunt; Mme. Talma, Miss Margaret Howes, Mme. Parabere, Miss Helen Van Brunt; Portrait of a Dutch Lady, Miss Laura Morse; A Gentleman of France, Mr. Frank Dickinson; Mme. Pompadour, Miss Ramp; Mme. Dugazon, Miss Lavinia Tough; Mme. Le Brun's "Woman With a Muff," Miss Lora Dickinson.

III.—The Eavesdropper'—Mrs. Walter tichards, Miss Matteson and Lieutenant Richards, Miss Matteson and Lieutenant Howard.
IV.—"Blind-Man's Buff"—Miss Holden,
Miss Van Brunt, Miss Heien Van Brunt,
Miss Matteson, Miss Tough, Lieutenant
Howard, Mr. John Thatcher, Mr. Frank
Dickinson, Mr. Osborne Van Brunt, Mr.
Clark Perrine, Mr. C. Thompson and Mr.
Justine Bowersock.

Barendows with a party of friends will be seen to be seen to the benefit of the Y. W. Hand of the Y. W

Overture-"Paust" (Gouned), string quar- the pain or sorrow caused by other Aunty (febrile) is famous for her skill

4. Aunty (cipate) is lamous for her skill is curing fevers.
5. Aunty (cipate) is a lively old lady always getting ahead of people.
6. Aunty (slavery) has always been opcred to the worst form of oppression and as ever endured persecution for the sake fiber principles.
7. Aunty (diluvian) was one of the party his went sailing in the ark.
8. Aunty (cedent) takes precedence of veryone else.

veryone else, 9. Aunty (date) lives always in anticiation.

10. Aunty (pathy) claims to have a conlitutional aversion to everybody sverything.

If Aunty (Mosaic) is not as aged at Aunty No. 7, but was born before the chil-

Aunty (podes) lives on the other side 12. Aunty (spasmodic) is welcomed by mothers whose children are afflicted with decravalsions,
Mrs. John Hickman and Mrs. Charles
Hubbard were most successful in filling the Hibbard were most successful in filling blarks and received dainty souvenirs.

parties on Saturday evenings. For the summer a series of excursions, dances, boating parties and other gatherings are now being arranged. No invitations were issued for last Tuesday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Evans,

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. German are at home to friends at 96 Forest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Henrici, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Nute Mr. and Mrs. George E. Galch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Mills. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campe, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campe, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Motley, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McCullom, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. German, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Finley, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hibbard, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charplot, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Flato, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Welles, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. King, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Welles, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howwell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Corrstock, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Beery, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cooper; Miss Lifa Flitch, Miss Mary Dunlap, Miss Adela Van Horn, Miss Frances M. McCluer, Miss Mabel Moatz, Miss Julia Sheriff, Miss Caro Emerson of Winfield, Kas.; Miss Scaman of St. Louis, Miss Hila Newhouse, Miss Dalsy Fuir, Miss Walden, Miss Foote of Topeka, Miss Maude Eoff, Miss Keel, Miss Gertie Sidney, Miss Ethel Knickerbocker, Miss Kerwin, Miss Ida Hamilton of Whartou, Tex.; Mr. L. E. Baird, Mr. Frank H. Judd, Mr. R. A. Norton, Mr. H. K. Van Horn, Mr. F. A. Carrier, Mr. E. J. Sheriff, Mr. M. Elder, Mr. J. A. Harries, Mr. George W. Rockwell, Mr. G. L. Allen, Mr. W. S. T. Smith, Mr. Ross M. Sleck, Mr. T. L. Ewan, Mr. F. A. Benson, Mr. J. N. Scott, Mr. V. L. Todd, Mr. A. J. Epperson, Mr. R. W. Goodnow, Mr. Earl Odell, Mr. Wilbur A. Weston, Mr. Ferd C. Wheeler. Mrs. A. S. Tweed, of St. Joseph, is visit-ing Mrs. H. W. Manning, 512 Bellefontaine avenue.

Miss Ida Putnam, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. B. C. Everett, of Wood-iand avenue.

Miss Bessie Noland, who spent the win-ter with Kansas City friends, has returned to St. Louis.

Mrs. Mary H. Ford was the guest of honor at the home of her brother and sister. Mr. and Mrs. Finney, in Grandview, Kansas City, Kas., on last Monday afternoon, when Mrs. A. M. Finney and Mrs. W. B. Taylor entertained the Monday Club. The house was adorned with growing plants and cut flowers. Delicious refreshments were served and an intellectual repast was served by Mrs. Ford, who told the story in brief of the famous Florentine family, "di Medici." whose members reached sublime heights and infamous depths. The club has been studying, for some months past, the art of the lifteenth century, and the history of Cosmo and Lorenzo di Medici is indissolubly linked with the art and literature of the renaiswith the art and literature of the renals

The Women's Reading Club is enjoying some delightful afternoons this month at the homes of several of the members. Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. E. Hoopes entertained the club at her home, 703 Wabash avenue. A very interesting paper on Prince Bismarck was read by Mrs. Milo E. Lawrance and Mrs. G. B. Longan gave an edifying talk on German socialism, which was followed by a general discussion on the imperialism of Germany. After the lesson, Mrs. Hoopes distributed cards daintily hand painted by her sister, Mrs. Farley, and tied with the club colors. These bore each a quotation and upon companion cards the author's name was to be written. Dainty refreshments were served and the afternoon concluded with a talk by Mrs. Laura Scammon. The Women's Reading Club is enjoying

When the individual has accomplished all the pians which have enlisted his energies he is said to have attained success. The same is true of a number of individuals associated in work of any kind. At the last meeting of the Aspasian League for this year, the club will have accomplished all which it had planned for the winter's work. In doing this the members have harmoniously co-operated, and while faithfully discharging every duty, have not been satisfied with the plan of ordinary ideals. They have passed in earnest study over that period of history between the years of 1400 and 1800—termed modern history. This has touched the beginning of the history of our own country, together with contemporary touched the beginning of the history of our own country, together with contemporary events in all other parts of the world. The influence of one upon another has been noted, the celebrated people and the literature of each country, together with its commerce and art. The members feel that they have laid a good foundation for their next year's work, which will be a thorough review of our own history, and dwelling particularly upon the works of contemporaneous American authors. To this end a carefully compiled catalogue will be printed in the early summer, compassing these plans for next year.

Delicate refreshments were served during the evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus J. Garnsey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McCoy, Miss Bessle Fish, Miss Jessle Farrar, Miss Crutcher, Miss Mary Wilson, Miss Lola Symington, Miss Mabel Southern, Miss Kate Buchanan, Mr. Frank Wilson, Mr. C. A. Carroll, Miss Edith Nichol, Miss Mary McCoy, Mr. Andrew Knox.

High Five was the diversion with which the Mysotis Card Club was entertained by Miss Maude Holt at her home on Vir-ginia avenue, last Thursday evening. Prizes were won by Miss Isabelle Park and Mr. were won by Miss Isabelle Park and Mr Charles Clark. Others asked to participate were: Mr. and Mrs. William Waiton, Mr and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Ei-mer N. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fryer. Mrs. Holt, Miss Roberta Peebles, Miss Isabelle Fryer, Mr. Homer Holt, Mr. R. J. Scott, Mr. Clarence McCurry, Mr. Judd

The L'Aiquille et Livre Club was de The L'Aiquille et Livre Club was delightfully entertained by Miss Ellet at her home on Tracy avenue Wednesday afternoon. An elaborate luncheon was served at 2 o'clock, the table decorations being Easter lilies. The meeting proved one of the most pleasant of the season. While the ladies piled their needles, the hostess read a number of selections from Whitcomb Riley's works: Mrs. Ellet rendered a very pleasing solo. The club will be next entertained by Mrs. A. G. Ellet.

A few delightful hours were spent Tues-lay evening by members of the T. F. Card Jub at the residence of Mrs. A. G. Henkle, 554 Belleview avenue. In attender Club at the residence of Mrs. A. G. Henkle, 1634 Belleview avenne. In attendance were: Miss Oia B. Fuller, Miss Mabell Wayland, Miss Maud Dean, Miss Cora Slack, Miss Callie Morris, Miss May Brockman, Miss Sleck, Miss Pigle McHenry, Mr. Henry Brinston, Mr. Charles Morris, Mr. Arthur G. Rise, Mr. King, Mr. Robert James.

The Ladies' Social Club, of Independence. was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Snyder, on West Wal-nut street. Luncheon was served at 1:30 o'clock. Progressive games were played during the afternoon, in which prizes were awarded to Mrs. J. C. Pendleton, Mrs. George Buford and Miss Rose Ott.

Miss Minnie Ramp entertained informally last Wednesday in compliment to her cousin, Miss Kendall, of Wichita. Mrs. W. B. Winn and Miss Kendall won the prizes at the interesting game indulged in. The guests were: Mrs. Winn. Miss Rose Fyock, Miss Lillian Tiffany. Miss Warren, Miss Rose Hagood and Miss Charles.

The Entre Nous Club met with Mrs. M. J. Pettijohn last Monday afternoon. The prizes were awarded Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. E. P. Dresser. The club will be entertained to-morrow by Mrs. Dresser at her home, 3519 St. John avenue.

Miss Carrie Wild entertained the J. F. F. Card Club last Thursday. Prizes were won by Miss A. Stetzler, Mrs. C. H. Holcombe and Mrs. Henry Wild. Mrs. Wild will entertain the club on Monday at her home, 2400 Forest avenue.

Mrs. Grandy's Budget of News

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Mrs. W. W. Lowell, of St. Joseph, is visting Kansas City friends. Miss Daisy Dowden is entertaining Miss occuping Adams, of Quincy, Ill.
Mrs. H. C. Orr left Monday evening for a trip through Texas and the Southwest. Mrs. Will Condit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seaton, in Atchison. Mrs. Matt Foster is the guest of her sis-Mrs. S. B. Armour and Mrs. Ed Smith have returned from Hot Springs, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cronin will be at home for the summer at 535 Olive street.

Miss Blanche Gordon has returned from

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Rob-Miss Byrd Watkins, of Topeka, is visiting Kansas City friends. Miss Edith Hanna is visiting Mrs. S. G. Wentworth in Lexington, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thompson have gone o New York, to reside permanently. Miss Elenora McKenzle is home from Lindenwood college for the Easter holidays. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson are es-tablished in their new home, 420 Olive

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Hall are established in their handsome new home in Hyde park,

Mrs. I. N. Tichenor, of Keokuk, Ia., is the guest of Mrs. William A. Knotts, of 200 Lydla avenue.

Mrs. Guy Holmes will leave for Chicago next Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Calautt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Wilding will leave this week for their future home in Sacramento, Cal.

Mrs. John Conover has returned from Leavenworth, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Ummethum. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hanna, of Los Angeles, are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson. Miss Berta Richardson was the guest of Miss Tunstall, of Lexington, Mo., for sev-eral days last week.

Miss Ida Smith, who has been the guest of Miss Lulu Alcorn for the past week, has returned to Topeka. The Knights of Father Mathew band will give a dancing party at the Casino on Easter Monday evening. Mrs. W. L. Hart, of St. Louis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Lake, of 1523 Tracy avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sargent are spending Easter with Mrs. Sargent's mother, Mrs. McShane, in Omaha. Miss Nana Medill, who has been visiting riends in Kansas City, has returned to her nome in Leavenworth.

Mrs. Rebecca C. Powell, of Alexandria, Va., is visiting the family of Mr. Cuthbert Powell, 2310 Lydia avenue. Mr. Lester Hall has returned from Yale and Mr. Porter Hall from Andover to spend the Easter holidays.

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Miss Mac Coatesworth, who has been the guest of Mrs. Samuel Pryor, left yesterday for her home in Chicago.

Mr. Warren E. Brandenburgh left last Wednesday to visit relatives in Chicago, Springfield, O., and Buffalo, N. Y. The Misses Lizzie and Nannie Gosnell are visiting in Mexico, Mo., the guests of Mrs. M. R. Wise and Miss Clara Treloar, Mrs. A. H. Sellers has returned from a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Michael, in Leavenworth. Mrs. D. E. Smeltzer and children have returned from California, and will be at home at 104 Olive street after May I. Mrs. W. H. Carruth, of Lawrence, read an interesting paper on "Hans Sachs" be-fore the Friends in Council last Tuesday. Dr. George C. Mosher and son, Fred. re-turned from El Paso, Tex., last Thursday, Mrs. Mosher and Miss Gladys will remain another month.

Mrs. C. Carpels is convalescent, after a serious illness, and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Trestrail, at their home, 2221 Brooklyn avenue. 2221 Brooklyn avenue.

Mrs. Philip E, Mullen and children, of 401
Prospect avenue, will return home on Saturday, April 24, from a six weeks' visit in Washington and Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murdock, of Lafayette, Ind., who have been visiting Mrs. Murdock's parents, Colonel and Mrs. James Lillis, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ettlinger, of Detroit, are the guests of Mr. Ettlinger's sister, Mrs. R. D. Orton, on East Fifteenth street. They will leave shortly for Denver. Miss Hannah Nirdlinger, of Leavenworth, was the guest the past week of Miss Tillie Simmons, en route to her home from Galesburg and Quincy, Ill., where she spent the winter.

Deadwood, S. D.

The ladies of McPherson corps will hold a social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Stewart, at Twenty-ninth street and Tracy avenue, on Thursday evening, April 22. All friends are invited.

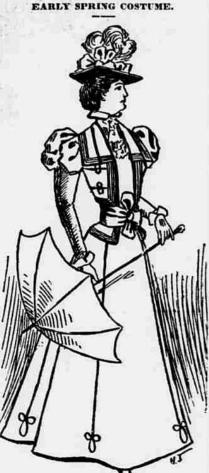
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Tetwill have sent out cards for the marriage of their niece, Miss Vallie Cannon, to Mr. John Emrich, of Fort Smith, Ark., on Wednesday morning, April 28, at St. Patrick's cathedral. on Wednesday evening, where he will at-tend the Post Graduate Medical college, and the clinics of the New York Nose and Throat infirmary. He will be absent for several months.

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The Central Club, at an informal smokher of other interesting events. A specia meeting of the club is called for Saturday April 24.

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Miss Theo Frain, of Chicago, has recently set to music the beautiful little poem. "Ah, Little Nell." which is from the pen of Mrs. John W. Hickman, of this city. A leading vocalist will soon present it to the public. Mrs. Hickman came to Kansas City but a few years ago, but is one of the fortunate few who seem with almost every acquaintance to win a friend. She is an efficint officer of the New Century Club. Another poem from her pen will soon appear.



Public Easter Sunday Services.

Areiopagus chapter, No. 2, Rose Croix will hold Easter services in the Cathedral of the Rite at 92 Walnut street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Order of services:
"Te Deum" (Buck).

Invocation.
Easter anthem.
Address—Rev. Dr. William P. George.
"Palm Branches" (Faure), Cornet obligato.
"Old Hundred," choir and audience.

Benediction.
Choir-Mrs. Vita Wells-Bruce. soprano;
Mrs. Carrie Farwell-Voorhees, alto: Mr. J.
W. Hingston, tenor; Mr. E. K. Chafee,
basso; Master Alfred Taylor, cornet; Mr.
C. E. Marsh. Thirty-second degree, organist and musical director.

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PRAISE FOR REV. NORTHROP.

Evangelist Banner E. Shawhan's Experience With a Traveling

Man in Illinois. Rev. B. E. Shawhan, of the Helping Hand institute, who has been conducting evan-gelistic services at Peoria, Ill., for several weeks, writes in his weekly letter to his weeks, writes in his weekly letter to his paper, the Helping Hand, an incident which occurred on the train while on his return to Kansas City: He says:

"On the Illinois Central train we sat down by a commercial traveler. He was a typical representative of the craft.

"What do you sell?" we inquired.

"I represent the Gem City Stove Company, of Dayton, O. What is your business?"

'I'm in the charity business, somewhat,"

iness?"

"'I'm in the charity business, somewhat," we replied, with a hang-dog look, for we never confess to being an evangelist. Then we showed the gentleman a few of our photographic views of the Helping Hand institute, and threw a copy of our weekly paper in his lap.

"Well, I guess I'll invest a dollar,' he said, and pressed that amount into our hands.

"Well, sir, I believe in humanity, and in preache s walking on the earth,' he said, 'Let me tell you of a little incident. A few years ago a Baptist pastor at Fort Wayne, Ind., gave us fellows a Sunday evening service. There were over 100 commercial travelers at one hotel, and we marched in a body to the First Baptist church. We sat together, of course, and the sermon was peculiarly apropos to the occasion. After the service, he invited us into the church parlors, and there were felicitous talks by both pastor and visitor. And say,' he said with emphasis, as he slapped us on the knee, 'he brought the sap when he talked about our wives, mothers and sweethearts."

"What was the name of that pastor?"

hearts." "What was the name of that pastor? Satt's parents, which will be celebrated on Easter Sunday.

George H. Thomas W. R. C. Sewing Society will meet for an all day session at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Brenham. 1821 Highland avenue, on Thursday, April 22 Work solicited.

Mr. Nathaus Halle, who has lately returned frontian eight months' tripen Europe, is the guest of Mr. S. Rosenthal, of 137 Cherry street, en route to his home in Deadwood, S. D.

The ladies of McPherson corps will hold a social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Stew-

A handsome and unique folder has been A handsome and unique folder has been issued by the First Baptist church of Kansas City, of which Rev. Stephen A. Northrop is pastor, containing a cordial invitation to commercial travelers, for whom nineteen special sittings are reserved. The folder contains the commendatory resolutions adopted November I, 18%, by Post A. Indiana division Travelers' Protective Association, on the occasion of Dr. Northrop's acceptance of the call to Kansas City. Dr. Northrop is very popular with the traveling men of the country, probably more so than any other ciergyman in the United States.—The Christian Herald, Detroit.

CALIFORNIA'S FUTURE.

Than Any Other Country. It is very difficult for one who has not looked closely at its location and extent to appreciate the peculiar advantages of Calfornia. In latitude it extends from the southern line of South Carolina, north to the southern line of Massachusetts, covering on the Pacific slope a corresponding coast line extending inland on an average about two hundred miles. Take the Atlantic coast line covering the same width, examine it critically and see what a hive of industry and what an immense population

Lay a similar area in the same latitude

terial products, or what its influence on the great body politic.

It is true that some portions of the state are unfitted for the purposes of homemaking, but most of these regions are of the nature of great natural parks—breathing places for the multitudes who shall eventually make their homes in this favored state.

Nor can it be that many years will elapse before this inviting field will be occupied. Before the recent financial crisis the tide of immigration had already set in, and it has been only temporarily checked, to be resumed whenever the "good times".

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prophesied shall arrive. No part of our country offers wider fields for good investments—investments that are entirely safe and that are sure of returning a good profit. In a comparatively new country favorably located there is always an accretion of value to real estate not to be looked for in a country already developed, or where the period of decadence has been reached.

In a great state surer than near a great city anyone buying outside lands or lots, exercising reasonably good judgment in their selection and holding on to them, is sure of a returning reward. Circumstances may long retard the growth of, or even kill, an incipient city, but in a great state with no fatal drawbacks the onward growth is as sure as the hand of fate.

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